

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) ~~A door safety device comprising a cover for the gap at the a~~  
hinge side of a door and door frame combination, the cover comprising: a first and a second strip  
of a rigid material connected by a joint such that the cover ~~which is~~ flexible about its major axis,  
the first strip having a T-section member linked by a joint to its long edge, the T-section member  
being supported in a C-shaped channel section such that the T-section member may move  
longitudinally with respect to the C-shaped channel, and the second strip having attachment  
~~means~~ a support member linked by an adjacent joint to at its long edges so that one edge of the  
cover may be secured to the door and the other edge of the cover to the a door frame of the  
~~combination, and wherein the cover second strip including includes a fastenering means adjacent~~  
~~to one of its long sides such that the cover may be secured to a second similar cover in order to~~  
~~increase the effective width of the safety device~~ member configured to attach the cover to a  
second cover.

2. (Currently Amended) ~~A device as claimed in~~ The cover of Claim 1, in which the  
fastenering means-member is one or more clip fittings.

3. (Currently Amended) ~~A device as claimed in~~ The cover of Claim 1, in which the  
fastenering means-member further includes a strip of adhesive material.

4. (Currently Amended) The cover of ~~A device as claimed~~ Claim 1, in which the cover  
is formed of four rigid portions connected by three hinges.

5. (Currently Amended) The cover of ~~A device as claimed in~~ Claim 1, in which the  
cover is formed of a fibrous of fluted board material.

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Currently Amended) The cover of A device as claimed in Claim 1, in which the cover is shaped from a plastics material with the ~~hinges~~ joints being formed integrally in a plastics moulding composition.

8-10. (Cancelled)

11. (New) The cover of claim 1, wherein the fastening member attaches to a T-section member of a first strip of the second cover.

12. (New) The cover of claim 1, wherein the fastening member contacts the door and provides support for the second strip member such that the cover remains in a convex shape.

13. (New) A cover for a hinge side of a door comprising:

a first cover and a second cover, the first cover and second cover each including,

a first and a second strip of a rigid material connected by a joint, the first strip having a T-section member linked by a joint to its long edge, the second strip having a support member linked by a joint to its long edge and a fastening member,

wherein the first strip of the second cover engages with the fastening member of the first cover to form a wide cover and the T-section member of the first cover is engaged to a C-shaped channel section attached to a door frame and the support member of the second cover is attached to a door.

14. (New) The cover of claim 13, wherein the fastening member of the second cover contacts the door and provides support for second cover such that the long cover remains in a convex shape.

15. (New) The cover of claim 13, wherein at least one angle support is attached to a back side of the long cover.

16. (New) The cover of claim 15, wherein the at least one angle support includes a plurality of hinges and at least two extendable pieces in contact with the long cover.

17. (New) A cover comprising:

a first cover having a first and a second strip of a rigid material connected by a joint;

the first strip having a T-section member linked by a joint to its long edge, the T-section member configured to attach to a C-shaped channel section attached to one of a door frame and a door;

the second strip having a support member linked by a joint to its long edge and a fastening member, the support member configured to attach to one of a door frame and a door; and

the fastening member configured to receive and engage a second cover in parallel with the first cover.

18. (New) The cover of claim 17, wherein the fastening member includes a projection in parallel the second strip forming a cavity between the projection and second strip, wherein the cavity is configured to receive and engage a first strip of the second cover.

19. (New) The cover of claim 18, wherein the projection and cavity engage the second cover to form a wide cover.

20. (New) The cover of claim 19, wherein the wide cover includes at least one angle support attached to a back side of the wide cover.